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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 23, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2003, extended to September 23, 2003 by a one-month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to Specification are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include an replacement sheet of drawings.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 13, 9f this paper.

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U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/085,023 Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 dated September 23, 2003 Reply to the First Rejection of May 23, 2003

Examiner is requested to contact Applicants undersigned attorney at the telephone number indicated below to arrange for an interview to expedite the disposition of this case.

In the event that this paper is not timely filed, Applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge any fees for such an extension of time and any other fees which may be due with respect to this paper, to Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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